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frequency being between 800 and 1000 hertz.

(d) Digital transmissions may also be identified by digital transmission of the station call sign. A licensee that identifies its station in this manner must provide the Commission, upon its request, information (such as digital codes and algorithms) sufficient to decipher the data transmission to ascertain the call sign transmitted.

[56 FR 19603, Apr. 29, 1991, as amended at 62 FR 15997, Apr. 3, 1997]

§ 90.737 Supplemental reports required of Phase I licensees.

- (a) Licensees of nationwide systems must submit progress reports pursuant to §90.725(d) of this part.
- (b) Licensees offering service on a commercial basis must maintain records of the names and addresses of each customer and the dates that service commenced and terminated. These records must be made available to the Commission upon request. Such licensees must report at the time of license renewal the number of mobile units being served.
- (c) Non-commercial trunked system licensees must report at the time of license renewal the number of mobile units being served.

- (d) Except for licensees of nationwide systems, all licensees must report whether construction of the facility has been completed in accordance with §1.947 of this chapter.
- (e) All reports must be filed in accordance with §1.913 of this chapter.

[56 FR 19603, Apr. 29, 1991, as amended at 56 FR 32517, July 17, 1991; 60 FR 50123, Sept. 28, 1995; 63 FR 68971, Dec. 14, 1998]

§ 90.739 Number of systems authorized in a geographical area.

There is no limit on the number of licenses that may be authorized to a single licensee.

[62 FR 46214, Sept. 2, 1997]

§ 90.741 Urban areas for Phase I nationwide systems.

Licensees of Phase I nationwide systems must construct base stations, or fixed stations transmitting on frequencies in the 220-221 MHz band, in a minimum of 28 of the urban areas listed in the following Table within ten years of initial license grant. A base station, or fixed station, is considered to be within one of the listed urban areas if it is within 60 kilometers (37.3 miles) of the specified coordinates (coordinates are referenced to North American Datum 1983 (NAD83)).

TABLE

Urban area	North latitude	West longitude
New York, New York-Northeastern New Jersey	40°45′06.4″	73°59′37.5″
Los Angeles-Long Beach, California		118°14′31.3″
Chicago, Illinois-Northwestern Indiana	41°52′28.1″	87°38′22.2″
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania/New Jersey		75°09′19.6″
Detroit, Michigan		83°02′56.7″
Boston, Massachusetts		71°03′23.2″
San Francisco-Oakland, California		122°24′43.9″
Washington, DC/Maryland/Virginia		77°00′31.9″
Dallas-Fort Worth, Texas		96°47′38.0″
Houston, Texas		95°21′37.8″
St Louis, Missouri/Illinois	38°37′45.2″	90°12′22.4″
Miami, Florida	25°46′38.4″	80°11′31.2″
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania		79°59′59.2″
Baltimore, Maryland	39°17′26.4″	76°36′43.9″
Minneapolis-St Paul, Minnesota		93°15′43.8″
Cleveland, Ohio	41°29′51.2″	81°41′49.5″
Atlanta, Georgia		84°23′36.7″
San Diego, California	32°42′53.2″	117°09′24.1″
Denver, Colorado		104°59′23.9″
Seattle-Everett, Washington	47°36′31.4″	122°20′16.5″
Milwaukee, Wisconsin	43°02′19.0″	87°54′15.3″
Tampa, Florida	27°56′59.1″	82°27′24.3″
Cincinnati, Ohio/Kentucky	39°06′07.2″	84°30′34.8″
Kansas City, Missouri/Kansas		94°35′20.8″
Buffalo, New York	42°52′52.2″	78°52′20.1″
Phoenix, Arizona		112°04′30.5″
San Jose, California	37°20′15.8″	121°53′27.8″
Indianapolis, Indiana	39°46′07.2″	86°09′46.0″

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TABLE—Continued

Urban area	North latitude	West longitude
New Orleans, Louisiana	29°56′53.7″	90°04′10.3″
Portland, Oregon/Washington		122°40′39.3″
Columbus, Ohio		83°00′16.7″
Hartford, Connecticut		72°40′47.3″
San Antonio, Texas		98°29′07.1″
Rochester, New York		77°36′20.0″
Sacramento, California		121°29′44.8″
Memphis, Tennessee/Arkansas/Mississippi		90°03′13.3″
Louisville, Kentucky/Indiana		85°45′48.9″
Providence-Pawtucket-Warwick, RI/MA		71°24′39.2″
Salt Lake City, Utah		111°53′28.8″
Dayton, Ohio		84°11′42.8″
Birmingham, Alabama		86°48′36.0″
Bridgeport, Connecticut		73°11′20.4″
Norfolk-Portsmouth, Virginia		76°17′19.8″
Albany-Schenectady-Troy, New York		73°44′59.4″
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma		97°31′05.1″
Nashville-Davidson, Tennessee		86°46′55.0″
Toledo, Ohio/Michigan		83°32′38.8″
New Haven, Connecticut		72°55′28.4″
Honolulu, Hawaii		157°51′50.1″
Jacksonville, Florida		81°39′41.3″
Akron, Ohio		81°30′43.4″
Syracuse, New York		76°09′12.7″
Worcester, Massachusetts		71°48′15.3″
Tulsa, Oklahoma		95°59′35.0″
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton, PA/NJ		75°28′04.7″
Richmond, Virginia		77°26′07.9″
Orlando, Florida		81°22′37.3″
Charlotte, North Carolina		80°50′44.3″
Springfield-Chicopee-Holyoke, MA/CT		72°35′30.3″
Grand Rapids, Michigan		85°40′13.1″
Omaha, Nebraska/Iowa		95°56′15.1″
Youngstown-Warren, Ohio		80°39′01.3″
Greenville, South Carolina		82°24′00.4″
Flint, Michigan		83°41′32.8″
Wilmington, Delaware/New Jersey/Maryland		75°32′49.7″
Raleigh-Durham/North Carolina		78°38′20.0″
West Palm Beach, Florida		80°03′06.1″
Oxnard-Simi Valley-Ventura, California		119°11′03.4″
Fresno, California	36°44′11.8″	119°47′14.5″
Austin, Texas	30°16′09.8″	97°44′38.0″
Tucson, Arizona	32°13′15.3″	110°58′10.3″
Lansing, Michigan	42°44′01.1″	84°33′14.9″
Knoxville, Tennessee	35°57′39.3″	83°55′06.7″
Baton Rouge, Louisiana	30°26′58.7″	91°11′00.4″
El Paso, Texas	31°45′36.4″	106°29′13.0″
Tacoma, Washington	47°14′58.4″	122°26′19.4″
Mobile, Alabama		88°02′33.0″
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania		76°52′57.9″
Albuquerque, New Mexico		106°39′07.1″
Canton, Ohio		81°22′36.4″
Chattanooga, Tennessee/Georgia		85°18′31.8″
Wichita. Kansas		97°20′17.2″
Charleston, South Carolina		79°55′52.3″
San Juan, Puerto Rico		66°06′58.6″
Little Rock-North Little Rock, Arkansas		92°16′37.5″
Las Vegas, Nevada		115°08′40.0″
Columbia, South Carolina		81°01′59.3″
Fort Wayne, Indiana		85°08′25.9″
Bakersfield, California		119°01′19.4″
Davenport-Rock Island-Moline. IA/IL	41°31′00.1″	90°35′00.5″
Davenport-Hock Island-Moline, IA/ILShreveport, Louisiana		
		93°44′58.6″
Des Moines, Iowa		93°37′00.8″
Peoria, Illinois		89°35′33.4″
Newport News-Hampton, Virginia		76°25′58.8″
Jackson, Mississippi		90°11′06.3″
Augusta, Georgia/South Carolina		81°57′59.4″
Spokane, Washington		117°25′36.8″
Corpus Christi Toyas	27°47′52.1″	97°23′46.0″
Corpus Christi, Texas Madison, Wisconsin Colorado Springs, Colorado		89°22′55.4″ 104°49′17.9″

NOTE: The geographic coordinates are originally from the Department of Commerce publication of 1947: "Air-line Distances Between Cities in the United States" and from data supplied by the National Geodetic Survey and converted to the reference system of North American Datum 1983 using the National Geodetic Survey's NADCON program. The coordinates are determined by using the first city mentioned as the center of the urban area.

[63 FR 68971, Dec. 14, 1998]

§ 90.743 Renewal expectancy.

- (a) All licensees seeking renewal of their authorizations at the end of their license term must file a renewal application in accordance with the provisions of §90.149. Licensees must demonstrate, in their application, that:
- (1) They have provided "substantial" service during their past license term. "Substantial" service is defined in this rule as service that is sound, favorable, and substantially above a level of mediocre service that just might minimally warrant renewal; and
- (2) They have substantially complied with applicable FCC rules, policies, and the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.
- (b) In order to establish its right to a renewal expectancy, a renewal applicant must submit a showing explaining why it should receive a renewal expectancy. At a minimum, this showing must include:
- (1) A description of its current service in terms of geographic coverage and population served;
- (2) For an EA, Regional, or nationwide licensee, an explanation of its record of expansion, including a timetable of the construction of new stations to meet changes in demand for service:
- (3) A description of its investments in its system;
- (4) Copies of all FCC orders finding the licensee to have violated the Communications Act or any FCC rule or policy; and
- (5) A list of any pending proceedings that relate to any matter described in this paragraph.
- (c) Phase I non-nationwide licensees have license terms of 5 years, and therefore must meet these requirements 5 years from the date of initial authorization in order to receive a re-

newal expectancy. Phase I nationwide licensees and all Phase II licensees have license terms of 10 years, and therefore must meet these requirements 10 years from the date of initial authorization in order to receive a renewal expectancy.

[62 FR 15997, Apr. 3, 1997]

§ 90.745 Phase I licensee service areas.

(a) A Phase I licensee's service area shall be defined by the predicted 38 dBu service contour of its authorized base station or fixed station transmitting on frequencies in the 220-221 MHz band at its initially authorized location or at the location authorized in accordance with §§ 90.751, 90.753, 90.755 and 90.757 if the licensee has sought modification of its license to relocate its initially authorized base station. The Phase I licensee's predicted 38 dBu service contour is calculated using the F(50,50) field strength chart for Channels 7-13 in §73.699 (Fig. 10) of this chapter, with a 9 dB correction factor for antenna height differential, and is based on the authorized effective radiated power (ERP) and antenna heightabove-average-terrain of the licensee's base station or fixed station. Phase I licensees are permitted to add, remove, or modify transmitter sites within their existing service area without prior notification to the Commission so long as their predicted 38 dBu service contour is not expanded. The incumbent licensee must, however, notify the Commission within 30 days of the completion of any changes in technical parameters or additional stations constructed through a minor modification of its license. Such notification must be made by submitting the appropriate FCC form and must include the appropriate filing fee, if any. These minor modification applications are not subject to public notice and petition to deny requirements or mutually exclusive applications.

(b) Phase I licensees holding authorizations for service areas that are contiguous and overlapping may exchange these authorizations for a single license, authorizing operations throughout the contiguous and overlapping service areas. Phase I licensees exercising this license exchange option must submit specific information for